REMARKS

Claims 3-44 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-2 are canceled. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

I. 35 U.S.C. § 121

The Office Action requires a restriction to one of the following sets of claims:

- Claims 1-2, drawn to a method for visually mapping elements in a graphic user interface, classified in class 715, subclass 762;
- II. Claims 3-16, 17-30, and 31-44, drawn to a method, product, and system pertaining to a financial planning tool to analysis financial investments, classified in class 705, subclass 36.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects invention II, claims 3-44, without traverse.

Claims 1-2, to non-elected invention I, are hereby canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Applicant respectfully reserves the right to pursue these and other claims in one or more divisional applications. It is respectfully urged that the subject application be reconsidered.

II. Conclusion

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number if in the opinion of the Examiner such a telephone conference would expedite or aid the prosecution and examination of this application.

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